



University of East-West Medicine

Doctor of Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine

Application Document Checklist

Important: All documents submitted to UEWM as part of the application becomes the property of the university. This is a common practice among schools in the U.S. Students should always request more than two sets of their transcripts for other future needs.

DAOM Admission Requirements: a Master's degree or equivalent in Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine from an ACAOM accredited institution, an ACAOM candidate institution, or its equivalent. The applicant must possess a California acupuncture license before entering the doctoral clinical training. (At the discretion of University of East-West Medicine, an applicant may be admitted as a Special student under the certain conditions. Please consult the admissions officer about the DAOM Special Admissions.)

All documents are required to be in English, with the exception of the Official Transcript.

- Application Form
- Non-refundable Application Fee: \$60
- Official Transcript(s) (In your native language and, or English) (Foreign transcripts need to be evaluated) *
- Copy of a Proof of Residency (e.g. Passport, Green Card etc.)
- Two Passport-size Photos
- Current Resume (in English)
- Two Letters of Recommendation (in English)
- Statement of purpose explains your desire to undertake graduate studies at this point in your life. (in English)
- Signed Student Enrollment Agreement
- A State License to Practice Acupuncture AND Oriental Medicine in CA or other state/territory.
- Official TOEFL score (Before beginning the clinical experience)**

*****INITIALLY ADMITTED STUDENTS*****

A student may be admitted, but will not be able to request Federal Financial Aid and register for the second semester until all required admission documents are submitted.

* Official transcripts must be submitted with the original envelopes in which they were sent. Transcripts from colleges/universities outside of the U.S. must be evaluated for degree, course by course and GPA by a U.S. based official evaluation organization that is NACES Certified. A list of current NACES members is available at <http://www.naces.org/members.html>

** For applicants enrolled in Chinese language program whose education was received not in the English language, a TOEFL score of 45 with a minimum speaking exam score of 18 and a minimum listening exam score of 15 on the TOEFL iBT test is required; a TOEFL score of 61 with a minimum speaking exam score of 26 and a minimum listening exam score of 22 is required in order to be admitted to any English-language program.

** Student is not required to take TOEFL test if you have earned a minimum of 60 semester units (90 quarter units) or a degree from a recognized institution of higher learning where the language of instruction is English.

Please Send Official Documents to:

Admissions Office

University of East West Medicine- 595 Lawrence Expressway, Sunnyvale, CA 94085

Any Questions? Call: (408)738-8889 Email: admissions@uewm.edu Website: www.uewm.edu